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THE HON. SRI V. C. PALANISAMI GOUNDER :—" Offhand I am unable to give an answer. So far as I know, no report has been received from the District Prohibition Committee, Anantapur."

Government quarters for female nursing orderlies.

* 726 Q.—SRI T. C. NARAYANA NAMBIAR : Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state— 9-20 a.m.

(a) whether the Government have received any representation to give residential quarters for the women employed as female nursing orderlies, etc.;

(b) how many midwife trainees there are in Government Women's Hospital, Kozhikode;

(c) how many are paid stipends; and

(d) whether they have residential quarters?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" (a) No.

(b) Thirty.

(c) Twenty.

(d) The answer is in the negative."

SRI T. C. NARAYANA NAMBIAR :—" May I know why some only of the trainees are given stipends and not all the trainees? "

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY :—" The number of trainees to be given stipends is limited."

Accident Reserve Fund.

* 727 Q.—SRI S. VEMIAH : Will the Hon. the Minister for Industries and Labour be pleased to state when the Accident Reserve Fund was constituted?

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" The Accident Reserve Fund was constituted in the accounts of the Government Bus Services, Madras City, in the year 1947–48."

SRI S. VEMIAH :—" May I know under what circumstances the Fund was constituted, how much amount is available in the Fund and how much of the amount was spent in the several accidents that took place? "

THE HON. DR. U. KRISHNA RAO :—" In G.O. Ms. No. 2681, Home, dated 14th July 1948 the Government directed that an Accident Reserve Fund should be constituted in the Provincial Accounts relating to the Government Bus Service. It was ordered that adjustments to the Accident Reserve Fund should be made on the basis of the premium payable for a comprehensive policy of insurance.

In G.O. Ms. No. 4119, Home, dated 8th November 1948, it was ordered that the contribution to the Accident Reserve Fund should be made at the following rates on the basis of